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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.121(a)**

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please add claim 7 as follows:

7. The conduit body assembly according to claim 6, wherein said lubricious material is selected from the group consisting of nylon, polyethylene terephthalate, and polytetrafluoroethylene.

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